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Docket No. 81
BBC-037/A

In Re Application Of:

Albrecht, H. et al.

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09/284,424

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Examiner
Maier, L.

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Invention:

Aspartate Ester Inhibitors of Interleukin-1 β Converting Enzyme

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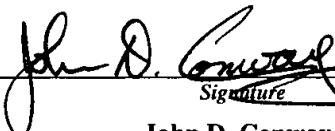
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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated February 22, 2001 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-8, 10-30, 34, 38-41, 44-51

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